



PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

CHILLA ET AL.

CASE NO: FA1225 US PCT

SERIAL NO: 10/575,322

GROUP ART UNIT: 1792

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EXAMINER: WILLIAM P. FLETCHER III

FOR: PROCESS FOR THE  
PRODUCTION OF MULTI-LAYER  
COATINGS IN LIGHT METALLIC  
COLOR SHADES

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE  
NON FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF DECEMBER 9, 2008**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants respond to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on December 9, 2008. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.